No. 3237

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1892.

SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER

### Banks.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:-HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:-ChowTungShang,Esq. W. Wotton, Esq. D. Gillies, Esq. Chan Kit Shan, Esq. C. J. Hirst, Esq. Kwan Hol Chuen,Esq.

Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PEAYFAIR." ADVISORY COMMITTEE IN

LONDON :--THOMAS CARMICHAEL, Esq.-Messrs, Dent, Palmer & Co. L. JOHN BUTTERY, Esq.-Mesers. John Buttery &

C. B. STUART-WORTLEY, Esq., M.P., for Hallam. GEO, MUNRO, Manager. BANKERS: Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ed.)

The Commercial Bank of Scotland, Yokohama-D. FRASER, Manager. Shanghat-C. J. GALLOWAY, Manager. Amoy-I. ANDERSON, Manager. CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened. Money received on Deposit. Drafts issued. Bills

purchased and collected. Advances made on Securities or goods in neutral Godowns.' Usual Bank Agency business undertaken. Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS For Rates of Interest for other periods apply to the Manager.

Hongkong, 18th May, 1892. CHINA MERCHANTS' STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1886.

12TH DRAWING. NTEREST DUE and DRAWN BONDS o this LOAN will be payable at the Offices of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on and after the 1st day of September,

Lists of Drawn Bonds can be obtained on application to the Undersigned. For the Hongkond & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION,

Agents issuing the Loan, Chief Manager. Hangkong, 31st August 1802

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTH CALL of ONE POUND (6:) per Share, making £7 in all, is payable on or before 30th September next. When making Payment, Shareholders will please send their Provisional Certificates in order that same may be endorsed.

Residents at YOKOHAMA, SHANGHAL, and AMOY can pay at the Bank's Branches there. By Order of the Board of Directors. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 30th August, 1802. NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. LIMITED,

(IN LIQUIDATION,) NOTICE TO CREDITORS. THAIMS on the HONGKONG BRANCH. must be sent to the Undersigned. Forms may be had on application.

E. W. RUTTER, " Attorney for the Liquidator. Hongkong, 74th August, 1892.

### Prisurances.

THREE IMPORTANT FACTS THY TUOSA TANDARD LIFE OFFICE 1.—HALF A MILLION STERLING per annum is being paid in Death claims

year by year. 3.—THE FUNDS IN HAND amount to upwards of Seven Million pounds Sterling and have increased 50 per cent, in the last 15 years.

3.—THE LIVES who die are annually replaced by more than double the number of new carefully selected lives. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., 1 679-3] Agents, Hongkong.

THE SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. PPLICATIONS for the post of SECRETARY, which will be VACANT towards the end of the year, are invited. A thorough practical

knowledge of FIRE and MARINE Business is DECCRIBITY. Singapore, 14th July, 1892.

NOTICE. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY

LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED ...... 2,000,000 The above Company is prepared to accept CHAMPION OF THE CHIMA STATION, MARINE RISES at CURRENT RATES OR GOODS. &c., &c., &c., &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN, HEAD OFFICE. No. 2 OPERE'S ROAD WARE. Hongkoug, 1st February, 1882.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAPLS 600,000, \$ \$835,535-85 RESERVE FUND ------ \$318,000.04

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Lue Simo, Esq. . LO YEUR MOON, Ked.

LOU TOO SHUM, Esq. MANAGER.--HO AMEL

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken quality guaranteed; in any quantily with the HEAD OFFICE, A TO, PRAYA WEST. Hougicong, 17th December, 1881

### Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION CFOON COMPETITION, TO-MORROW the 3rd instant. Ranges-300 and 400 yards. Short Range Handicap Points allowed. Time, 3 P.M.

ED, ROBINSON," Hon. Secretary.

# Hongkong, 1st September, 1802.

VICTORIA COLLEGE.

TERM begins MONDAY, September 5th.
Applicants for ADMISSION, secome pabled by PARENTS of GUARDIANS, must present themselves in the College Hall TO-MORROW, september 3rd, at o'A.M.

GEO. H. BATESON WRIGHT, D.D. Head Master. Hongkong, and September, 1892.

# NOTICE.

URING the REPAIRS to the SUPREME COURT HOUSE, the Court will Sit in SUMMARY JURISDICTION on and after the 22nd instant at the MASONIC HALL, Zetland Street. And the Court will sit in ORIGINAL JURISDIC-Masonic Hall sforesaid, as may be from time to time directed.

By Order BRUCE SHEPHERD, Acting Registrar. Supreme Court,

Hongkoug, rith August, 1892. CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. TWENTY-SIXTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS In the above Company, will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 16th September, at A p'clock P M., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to goth April last, and of declaring Dividends.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the and to the 16th September, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors ..

W. H. RAY. Honekong, c6th August, 1872

#### HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY

POSTPONEMENT

THE very heavy rains during the last few days having greatly impeded our moving and general preparations, the New Premises at Nos. 1, 3, 5 & 7, D'Aguilar Street, will not open for Business until MONDAY NEXT, the gth September.

We shall then show a lot of New Goods ex "LATEST ARRIVALS."

DEPARTMENTS: DRAPERY AND MILLINERY.

GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING. FURNISHING DRAPERY.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY. J. P. COTTAM,

Managing Partner. Hongkong, 30th August, 1802.

NOTICE. PUNJOM & SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

A LL PERSONS holding SCRIP in the above Company are requested to send them in at once for TRANSFER. A Circular will be sent to each SHARK-HOLDER, in reference to the re-construction of the Company. A. O'D. GOURDIN.

Secretary. Hongkong, 25th May, 1802. PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE, "GLENBALY BUILDINGS."

(Nos. 18 and 14, Wyndham Street.) MRS, GILLANDERS has VACANCIES for RESIDENT BOARDERS and VISITORS, also Accommodation for TABLE BOARDERS I Innivienne, 4th July 18-2

PROFESSIONAL NOTICE EXPECT to resume my Hongkong DENTAL PRACTICE early in September, further notice DENTON E. PETERSON, D.D.S.

No. o, Connaught House, Queen's Road 1st August, 1892.

WILLIAM WATERS. CHAMPION MIDDLE-WEIGHT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

will give LESSONS in the ART OF SELF DEFENCE to Gentlemen at their own houses or at his Rooms, 133, Wanchal Road. FOR ONE MONTH ONLY. For turns apply at this Office. Hongkong, and August, 1802.

BAI-PANG COALS.

THE Undersigned begs to inform the Public that he has appointed HOP-WO-LOONG as Agents in Hongkong for the Sale of the SAL-PANG COALS of the HONDO COAL MINES,

KONUMI TAKASUKE. Owner of the Hondo Coal Mines. WE the Undersigned are ready to supply COALS of the above Mines, weight and

> HOP-WO-LOONG Agents for the Hondo Coal Mines, Non. 36 & 37, Praya Central.

### Untimations.

# JUST ARRIVED

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,

#### QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL HONGKONG. Hongkong, 31st August, 1892. THE

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code.-TELEPHONE, No. 32.

HONGKONG HOTEL

PROPRIETORS ......THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL-the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post. Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cultime being under experienced supervision,

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lefty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators. The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladles' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience, A handsomely appointed GRILL ROOM, where chops, steaks, &c., are served at any hour adjoins the HOTEL, and is under the same Management.

The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expett and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1802.

R-TUCKER-Manager.

A MERICA'N REVOLVERS, WINCHESTER CARBINES, ENGLISH FOWLING PIECES and AMMUNITION, STAR SAFETY RAZORS, MANDARIN RAZORS, RODGERS' HOLLOW GROUND RAZORS, &c. WALTHAM WATCHES, GOLD FITTED CASES, ROLLED GOLD CHAINS, BINOCULARS,

ANEROID BAROMETERS, AMERICAN CLOCKS, all at cheapest rates, AERATED WATERS 3 dezen for \$1. AERATED CLARET at 80 cents per dezen. CARMICHAEL & CO. LTD.

Honekono 27th July, 1902.

18, Praya Central, Hongkong.

SHOOTING SEASON, 1892! OUBLE-BARRELLED HAMMERLESS

FOWLING PIECES. Martini-Hearl MATCH RIFLES, Winchester CARBINES. Smith and Wesson's, Coli's and "Bull-dog" REVOLVERS, Y'S CARTRIDGE CASES. Damp-proof, GREEN, BLUE and BROWN,\_\_ Wads, Caps, Recapping and Loading Machines, Castridge Beits and Bags, Flasks, Gun Cleaners

and Sporting Sundries of every description. Pigou and Wilk's "Alliance" SPORTING POWDER. SPORTING CARTRIDGES loaded to order; NEWCASTLE CHILLED SHOT

Shooting Suits, Knicker-bocker Stockings, Sun-hats, Camp Beds and Camp Furniture.
TRAVELLERS' COOKING STOVES.

LANE.CRANYFORD&C°

# BREWER

THE Snows of Thibet through Chins, by Duncan's Freemasonery. Peeps into China, by Reed. De Hanoi á Pekin-Rambaud. Moore's Diseases of India. A. B. C. Codes. Moray & Bigge's Mechanical Engineering.

Thompson's Dynamo Electric Machinery.

Carlyle's Freemasonery.

Hongkong, 22nd August, 1802

Alisop's Telephone Construction and Fitting. Elements of Social Science. The Constellation and how to find them. The Miner's Pocket-book, Large India Rubber Balls for Children. Small Purses for roc, & 200. pieces. Sadier's Leather Cigar and Cigarette Cases,

> W. BREWER UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

# Hongkong, 4th August, 1892. CENTRAL HOTEI

SHANGHAI HIS long established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river, in the

centre of the Settlements, has lately undergone extensive alterations, and is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suffes and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWER SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &.c. The Electric Lighting now partly laid on will be completed during this year, 1892.

An Assistant will attend on Passencers by Mail Steamers. W.B.—TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS :-- CENTRAL, SHANGHAL.

> F. E. REILLY, PROPRIETOR.

### Shipping.

STEAMERS.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY LIMITED.

FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT). HE Company's Steamer

"PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO." Captain J. A. Morris, will be despatched for the above Port, TO-MORROW, the 3rd instant, at TO AIM:

For Freight or Passage, annly to YUEN FAT HONG. Hangkong, and September 1802

DOUGLAS STFAM-SHIP COMPANY.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL HE Company's Steamship "FORIEN."

Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 3rd instant, at 2 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers,

Hongkong, 1st September, 1802. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY.

Under Mail Contract with the Austrian

GOVERNMENT. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE Company's Steamship

Captain F. Kassovich, will leave for the above place on SUNDAY, the 4th inst., at Daylight. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st September, 1802. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

FOR KOBE. (Calling at Amoy). THE Company's Steamship

"HIGO MARU," Captain James Jones, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SATURDAY, the 10th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS,

1. Duddell Street, Hongkong, 1st September, 1802

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. THE Steamship

"RADNORSHIRE," Captain F. Davies, R.N.R., will be despatched as above on or about FRIDAY, the 16th Sept, For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

### SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. German Ship

Fongkong, 20th August, 1892.

"CARL FRIEDRICH." Hank, Master, will load here for the above Port. and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co.

Honokeno, 8th August, 1802. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. British Ship "JOHN McLEOD."

Henderson, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co.

Agents.

Hongkong, 22nd July, 1892.

# Consignees.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION-COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH,

HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY,

COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship THISBE " having arrived, Consignoes of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of

Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Co., Ld., Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained. Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so.

This vessel brings on Cargo :--From Venice, ex S.S. "CARLOTTA," transhipped at Bombay. From Calcutta, ox S.S. "NIOBE," transhipped at Colombo.

Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the FOR SALE, HIRE, OR ON THE RASY 7th instant, or they will not be recognized.

PAYMENT SYSTEM. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 7th

instant, will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, 1st September, 1892.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship The above Stramer having arrived, Consignoes

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense,

1, S. VAN BUREN,

### Consignees.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS

STEAMSHIP "LOO, SOK," FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-

signees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

Hongkong, 29th August, 1802.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "GHAZEE," FROM LIVERPOOL, GLASGOW AND

STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO DAY. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

undelivered after the 3rd Sept., will be subject All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 3rd Sept., or they will not be recognised. All broken, chased, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

examined on the 3rd Sept, at 3 p.m. - No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL CARLILL & Co.,

# To be Net.

TO BE LET OR SOLD.

TO. 52, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Hongkong, 27th August, 1802.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 18th August, 1802.

TO LET.

NO. 16, KNUTSFORD TERRACE, KOW-LOON,—END HOUSE. Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 19th July, 1802.

TO LET.

& Co.'s Office).

No. 10. OLD BAILEY.

No. 4, BLUE BUILDINGS. FIRST FLOOR, No. 1, Blue Buildings, OFFICES-and Floor, Praya Central (lately occupied by Messrs. Dunn, Melbye & Co.). GODOWN, (under Messrs, Douglas Lapraile

GODOWN, No. 1A. Blue Buildings. SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES at Magazine Nos. 2 & 2A. STAUNTON STREET (corner of the Old Balley).

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Hongicong, 11th August, 1802.

TO LET.

WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION THE Large Handsome SHOP, No. 24, Dakin Bros. of Chins, Limited.

Two Large AIRY ROOMS on the Top Floor DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & Co., LTD.,

Victoria Dispensary.

TO LET. "TUSCULUM," MAGAZINE GAP.

Nos. 2 & 4, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Hongkong, and August, 1892.

No. 4. PEDDER'S HILL.

Hongkong, 9th August, 1892. PIANOS, ORGANS,

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS OF ALLEKINDS BY THE BEST ENGLISH AND

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

FOREIGN MAKERS.

PAYMENT SYSTEM. Illustrated Catalogues free, MOUTRIE.

ROBINSON&Co. (UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL)

HONGKONG. A LL our PIANOS are made Specially for us-

with Iron Frames, Check Action, Pull Trichord.

Solid Cases, and are beautiful in Tone and

REPAIRS A SPECIALITY.

#### Intimations.

### DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK CO., LIMITED.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY,"

XX/E have received a small shipment

REAL DEVONSHIRE CIDER from Symons & Co., Totnes, Devon, in splendid condition.

SYMONIA CIDER,

\$2.50 per dozen. CHAMPAGNE CIDER

\$2.50 per dozen.

ZAMENE CIDER, 4, \$2.50 per dozen.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY HONGKONG.

Hongkong, soth August, 1897, A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

AERATED WATERS. GINGERADE.

GINGER ALE.

LEMONADE. LEMON SQUASH.

LITHIA WATER.

PHOSPHORIC, CHAMPAGNE, POTASH WATER. RASPBERRYADE. SARSAPARILLA

-SELTZER-WATER-SODA WATER. TONIC WATER.

TN the Manufacture of these Waters the purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness exercised throughout. .. The water used is subjected to a perfect system of filtration, delly examinations and periodically to scorching chemical analyses : so that absolute purity and safety are guaranteed. .

FOR COAST PORTS. Waters are packed and placed on board at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties when returned in

good never. SUMMER BEVERAGES.

FRUIT CORDIALS :- Respherry. Straw-Lime, Damson, Black Currapt, Redi Current, Pine Apple, Orleans Plum, Morella Cherry and Gooseberry.

FRUIT SYRUPS :- Lemon, Lime Juice, Raspberry, Strawberry, &c. Prepared from genuine fruit juices imported by ourselves, they contain the full flavour of the sound ripe fruit i mixed with plain or Acrated Water, they make delightful summer drinks.

Agents for MONTSERRAT LIME JUICE & CORDIAL.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

Ports, Sherries, ... ! larets, Burgundies, ... Hocks, Champarnes, Brandles, Whiskles, Gin, Rum and Liqueurs. A large selection of choice old brands.

Full particulars and prices on application.

TOBACCO, CIGARS AND CIGARETTES. A complete stock of all the best and most

popular brands. VIN DE QUINQUINA A medicinal wine AGREEABLE TO THE

TASTE containing the valuable properties of Cinchons Bark combined with a choice brand of Red Wine. Its powerful aptifebrile qualities tend to ward

off attacks of Majarial fever and to all convalescents it acts as a quick restorative and appetizer.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. - ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

Hongkong, 21st July, 1802. DEATH.

-At "The Bungalow," Robinson Road, Hongkong, on September 2nd, Captain Gro. HOPKINS, manager of the Scottlsh Offental Steamship Co., aged 66 years.

Hongkong, Friday, September 2, 1872.

'ANOTHER BANK'SCARE.

IT was currently reported in Chinese business circles this morning that there was a screw loose with the Chartered Bank of India, London and China, and as a consequence of this rumour the Bank's notes were refused in various quarters. On making careful, inquiries at head--quarters a representative of the Telegraph found that there were no grounds whatever for any panic and that the Bank was fully prepared to cash all their notes, as presented, and further that the other local any extent Chartered Mercantile paper at | Monday next.

its face value. It is generally accepted as a truism that there is never smoke without fire; but admitting the somewhat uncertain position. of banking business in the Far East just now, there would appear to be but the flimsiest grounds, if any at all, for the unfavorable rumours that have been in local circulation regarding the Chartered Mercantile Bank for some months past. We have received assurances that these are mere coverds, absolutely, without justification. No doubt the suspension of the New Oriental Bank, the huge losses sustained by the Hongkong and Shanghal' Banking Corporation, the anything but satisfactory position of the Bank of China. Japan and the Straits, and the numerous failures of Chinese banking institutions, greatly contributed to the feeling of temarks on the subject, will be found in another insecurity which led to the two or three part of this lesue.

European banks and created so great a temporary sensation in commercial circles a short time since; but whilst caution in such shaky times is to be commended, the folly of creating unnecessary scares in our limited financial world, on the strength of unsupported rumours, is too apparent to require argument and cannot be too strongly deprecated. It was currently reported in Yokohama the other day, on the strength of an alleged private telegram from Hongkong, that our great local bank had 'put up the shutters.' It was also rumoured that a well-known Hongkong financier, one of the most solid men in the colony, had 'skipped' account of some involved business in reference to certain gigantic share transactions. Both rumours were, of course without a vestige of truth, and could only have emanated from some thoughtless mischlef-maker, who was painfully lacking in commonsense; but they nevertheless had many believers and created a sensation. This Chartered Mercantile Bank canard is much of the same stamp, and we only refer to it to convey a word of warning to our Chinese friends not to be misled in matters which may become [30] of serious importance, by the chatter of the ignorant or the designs of the unscru-

TELEGRAMS.

THE CHOLERA FIEND ON THE WAR-PATH.

LONDON, September 1st. Terrible confusion prevails in Hamburg owing to the rapid spread of cholers, which accompanied by fearful mortality.

The supply of doctors and nurses is quit inadequate, and a thousand deaths are already reported. The hospital corridors are blocked with corpses, and four hundred remain unburied in one shed.

CHOLERA IN HAVRE.

LONDON, August 25th. It is reported that cholers has broken out

RE-ELECTION OF SIR W. V. HARCOUR? Sir W. Vernon-Harcourt has been re-elected M.P. for Derby by a majority of nearly five

thousand votes. [Yet Reuter telegraphed on the 20th August that Mr. John Morely would be the only Minister to be opposed on re-election. The poll at Derby, which returns two members, stood thus 4 Kwangles..... in July:-Sir W. Harcourt (G), 7,507; T. Roe (G) 7.389; W. B. Hextall (C), 5,546; Sir A. A. Haslam (L.U), 5,363.].

MR. MUNDELLA AND NEW TAXATION. Mr. A. J. Mundella, speaking at Sheffield, Bormida ...... said that new taxation will probably be Warrior .....ship Becessary.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The Spanish consul has favoured us with a copy of a telegram received this morning, as

follows :-MANILA, September 2nd. There is a distant depression, north-east of

### LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Thibes Bombay for this port on the 27th ulto.

THE half-yearly report of the Shameen Hotel and Land Co. Ltd., will be found in another part of this issue.

An editorial on the Transit Pass Question is unavoidably held over pending receipt of certain important details from Canton.

LIEUTENANT Commander Clover, Chief Hydrographer of the United States Navy Department, estimates that the cost of a cable between the Pacific Coast and Hawaii will be \$1,200 per

As will be seen by our advertising columns, the Stanley Opera Company will give their farewell performances in Hongkong on Thursday and Friday next, the 8th and oth inst. Full particulars will be announced in due course.

HIGHWAYMAN (after searching his victim vain)-Wot's yer trade, anyhow Victim-I am editor of the China Shail. Highwayman-Poor devil To Take this dollar and get a decent chow !

THE Bank of Bombay realised a net profit of Rs.-833,000 during the first half of the present year. In addition to carrying two lakes to the Reserve fund, Rs. 35,000 to a Pension fund, and Rs. 160,000 to new account, the Bank paid a dividend of ten per cent. free from income taxout of its legitimate earnings.

THE Bank Cashler: ""You insist on my having a fortune before I marry your daughter?" The Bank President: "I do, air." The Bank Cashier (leaving): "Very well, sir: I shall have one before this evening. And-by the way-you wil have no objection to the ceremony taking place in Canada ?"

AT the Police Court this forenoon a distinguished foreigner rejoicing in the name of David Feakalstean appeared before Mr. Wodehouse and charged by a fair but frail denizen of the Rue, Koom Oop My Love named Annie Apstay with unlawfully, and with smalice aforethought appropriating twenty-five shekels of silver, the property of the said lady. Annie smiled sweetly on his Worship and David was then sent inside, with the option of providing Banks made no demur about accepting to two suicties of \$15 each to turn up to a.m. on

> Rev. Doolittle Dubbs-Captain, I'd like to roturn my ticket and take a transfer to the Perpetes. It isn't so nice a boat, but I am told Captain-All right, Sir.

Rev. D. D.-Good-by, Captain; and before going allow me to give you my little tract, entitled "A True Christian Never Fears Death," (Pive minutes after it is affeat.) ...

THERE is no further news of the release of Dr. Rizal by the Spenish authorities, and the patted and subbed the back of the hound worked which cannot reasonably be (questioned, Spanish Consul at this port doubts the veracity of the report that the Government of the Philippines received tastructions from Madrid to release the hapless Doctor. The report was, It is now feared by the Doctor's friends, a mere canard published with a view to calming much troubled waters and putting the chiabliants of ... Comething's strange. That bill looks kind the Philippines off the scent, Poor Risal is possibly deed by this time, and buried in an unbealthy awamp in the southern part of the modern Inquisitors' dominions. The Control's

ridiculous rushes on certain perfectly solid | THE tone of the local Share Market has been slightly firmer to-day, but business continues in a deplorably stagnant condition.

> THE latest advertising dodge in America is that of a merchant in Chicago who exhibits a pair of live Japanese bables in his front window.

> THE Agents (Messre. Dodwell, Carlill & Co.) Inform us that the Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s chartered steamer Devawongse arrived at Yokohama yesterday from Tacoma, and leaves to-day for Hongkong via ports.

> A RECENTLY designed incandescent electricismp. supported by springs, is intended for use in carriages and other vehicles. The current is to be supplied from a storage battery carried under the seat or in any convenient place.

For attempting to bribe Praim Singh, P.C. No. 577, with ten ten-cent pieces in Market Street. To, a school-boy, was fined \$5, with the alternative of fourteen days" hard labour, by Mr. H. E. Wodehouse at the Magistracy this morning.

Smith-Do you remember Miss Arkweight, with whom we used to dance so often? Jones-Perfectly. She was pretty, but fanciful as the mischief, light and foolish, and I often said to myself, I pity the man who marries her. Smith-I married her three years ago.

RELIABLE correspondent informs us that Lo Hok Pang, the abscending compradore of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, was seen in Canton a couple of days age, looking as jolly as ever. Curiously enough Mr. Lo Hok Pang doesn't seem to be "wanted" by the A . Court of Directors. Why?

A TONKIN contemporary says :-- We learn from That-khe, on the borders of Tonkin and Kwangsi that on the 12th August 400 Chinese, almost all belonging to the regular frontier army Kwangsi, made a sudden raid into the plain of That-khe, with the object of storming the garrison and burning the important town o Caophong. Steps were at once taken to protect the inhabitants, who were naturally alarmed.

SHER YAU wants to know if Hongkong is the boasted free port we hear so much about. His reasons for this not unpardonable curlosity were elucidated at the Magistracy this morning, when for having in his possession six tacks of oplum dross, without a permit from the Opium Farmer, he was fined a couple of dollars, with the alternative of free board and lodging for fourteen days. No, Shek Yau, Hongkong is not a free port by any means, or you would not at the present moment be languishing in durance vile

TO-DAY'S SHIPPING RETURNS.

Inward. Ask .....steamer, from Holhow. Ningho ........ Canton. Wubu Yusnsang ......... Singapore. Carmarthenshirs... Salgon. Taksang ...... ... Probolingo. G. G. Tacob ...... Singapore Cardiff.

Aggregating 11,403 tons, register, Outward. Cheangehow ......steamer, for Amoy. Eugenie..... Ilollo. . Singapore. GISMAVON ........

Aggregating 4,627 tons, register. SAYS the San Francisco Commercial News :- the Daily Press and "China Mail, headed During the stay of the U.S. steamer Baltimore | "Market Prices" were last subjected to the at Tacoma, says the Ledger, the officers made, process of correction up to date. Of course they several tests of the coal mined in that vicinity. I are useless to you or any one else and you ought the tanks and determine the amount of water | wages in the purchase of a copy of those dreary that can be distilled from this supply of coal. pests in simple faith of saving money at the The soot and ashes are carefully weighed and market. With reference to your request that we the result then determined. Chief Engineer should furnish our readers with a reliable weekly Potts says that the method of determining list of Market Prices corrected up to date, we the quality of coal by chemical analysis simply have to tell you straight that we have no

is unsatisfactory in several particulars. The space to allot to anything of the kind, even-were coal that was experimented on came from it possible to get true and bond fide quotations the Roslyn, South Piairle, Alta and Franklin from Chinese brokers and others, which it mines. The South Prairie proved the most is, however, utterly impossible to do-and satisfactory, and the Franklin the least. As a "Granny" and "Brownie" ought to know it, result of the tests, the Baltimore has contracted and probably do (to their cost) but find the for 400 tons of the South Prairie coal, and will " latest" Market Prices useful padding for their make a more extended trial of it under different conditions, such as ability to heat quickly, etc. ACCORDING to Mr. Stipendiary Wodehouse it is g criminal offence in this colony to be the

possessor of an ifon chain, if you can't at a moment's notice give a full and satisfactory account of the article. Tsau Shi, a coolin from Namhol, had an iron chain, and as he couldn't give its history to a big. Sikh policeman who was on the hunt for victims, he was promptly run in and fined at the Police Court this morning \$3, or 14 days in default. There are still some undiscovered murders in this colony wanting investigation, the comprador and the shroll of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (with heaven only knows how many lakhs of dollars) are yet at large, and a crowd of other notorious awindlers are boldly staiking about in our midst, Wouldn't running to earth quarry of that sort be better employment for an admirable organised police force than prosecuting wretched coolies for being ignorant and unfortunate and thereby filling the Gaol with petty gamblers, hawkers and victims of the Opium Ordinance?

"Absalom Carruthers," said his wife, with the accent on each syllable for good measure, "you were intoxicated last night."

"Well, I failed to notige it," "Everybody else noticed it-they could help it You were irretrievably drunk." "Not by a jugiui,"

"No! but several juga full." "You're away off, Hepsy." "Not as greatly off as you were. You tried to open the gate with your latch-key and you fell through it into the grass,"

"You came up the front step on your hands and knees, opened the door, and inquired if Carrothers lived here. Do you know that ?"

"And you stumbled on a dark flower in the carpet, and nearly went down," "Not a word of truth in it." "Trie to harg your bat on a fly on the wa

and then asked where that nail went to 1". "You are totally hallucinated." "Why, you talked out of your ears, and when

the biby cried on the bed you went to rocking its crib as hard as you could, singing, 'Byo O wy Waby! Recollect that !" "Recollect nothing," "I expect not, and you got on your kneet and

in worsted on the rug. In front of the grate, and said, 'Doggy, woggy.'" religion I don't believe it." "And you gave me a ten dollar bill and said I could get a new bonnet with it, and here's the

o' natural and familiar. But I wasn't drunk." "Of course it does look familiar, and you said to my dear me, Mother, you've got to stay with us till spring freezes over. "Yes, you did, Absalom," said the old lady.

"Ah-yes-I-see; was-very-very drank,"

THE local Tennyson who has sent as "The Song of the Bird" has omitted to favor us with his name and address. Meanwhile we are sharpoulng the family meat-axe.

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Royal mail steamer Empress of Fapan, Capt. G. A. Lee, left Vancouver on Wednesday afternoon last, for this port, via Yokohama, Kabe and Shanghai

THE number of persons who died from consump tion in Tokio during last year was 7,500, of which 1,613 males and 452 females lived in the utban districts, and 213 males and 2:8 females in the rural districts.

WOULD-BE WAG -There's one share which never loses in value and which, properly handled, will always yield a living-CROWD OF HUNGRY BROKERS-What is it? W.B.W.-A plough-shate!

A BANGKOK contemporary announces, on behalf in connection with a gambling racket, Un Soi of A. Markwald & Co. of that port, that on the arrival of the 'tank' steamer Murer, expected on or about August 31st, Russian refined netroleum will be on sale at two ticals per ten gallons. "THANK heaven," sighed the editor, " for another day of rest ! It is such a relief to see Sunda come round." "Yes, dear," said his good wi "Now, strap the twins on your back, take Molly and the basker in your arms and we'll walk

> The summer now begins to wane And aged maids who've tried in valu To fish for men, but never caught 'em, New dresses plan to show their charms And so attract a lover's arms Some half-lit evening in the autumn.

three miles to church."

SPAIN has decided to farm out the Cuban customs revenue. This, remarks a San Francisco contemporary, will probably make the last state of that unhappy island worse than the first, The farmer will have to satisfy Spanish Government rapacity and his own greed and will put the keenness of private enterprise into the work of getting everything possible out of the business. The Cuban revolutionists now reported to be active in the United States will find a new incentive in this movement.

THE Progras de Saigon of 24th August publishes a vividly coloured picture of the ruined temples | bought her for the Portland, and Victoria, (B. C. of Angkoz as they would be if restored according | trade-where she is now successfully tradingto French ideas. There are several other pictures | while her place on the Hangkok route was taken in the supplement, crimson kings, scarlet steeds, by another new Clyde-built steamer, which violet"horses, pink and green elephants, and was followed by others in remarkably quick ! gorgeous palaces all the most staring colours of succession. Never before have we known of the rainbow. In the same issue of the Progres such verification of a prophesy as the unqualified effect that Dr. J. Risal, a resident of this colony; is a political article showing reasons why France | success of the Scottish Oriental Company supplies, | who was arrested upon his return to Manila in should annex the eastern and southern parts of and in so saying we are not guilty of undue July last and, after being charged with the Slam. Truly journalism is advancing in the adulation of the deceased, for, as local crime of sedition, banished to the nitermost French colonies i.

The prisoner was before the Judge for assault "What did you strike the prosecutor for ?" inquired the Court, sternly.

"He's a dead-beat, your Honor, that pesters the life out of me," confessed the prisoner, "That's none of your business. What die

you strike him for ?" "He struck me first, your Honor." The Court turned to the prosecutor. "How is that?" he asked.

"I didn't do anything of the sort, your Honor

merely-----" He did, your honor," interrupted the prisoner he struck me for St. "Five dollars and costs," remarked the Court,

and call the next case." "CHIZELED": In reply to your letter of complaint, we really can't say how long it is since the combersome columns of absolute trash in

illustrated Saturday supplements of patent medicine pictures. And now, old chapple, our advice to you is to take a copy of this issue round to "Brownie," mark this paragraph and ask what he means by imposing on the good nature of a confiding, albeit more or less indignant public. SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Bejore Mr. H. E. Pollock, Acting Puisne September and,

JOHN MITCHELL V. ROBERT FRASER-SMITH This is an action by Mr. John Mitchell described as a marine engineer and surveyor for \$1,000 as damages for alleged libel published in the Hongkong Telegraph. Mr. Hastings (Wotton & Deacon) appeared for plaintil and defendant was absent and unrepresented Mr. Hastings asked for a day to be fixed for the case. He said that plendings were ordered and plaintiff's petition was filed and served on defendant, but no answer had been made, and

[This statement is incorrect as the defendant who was absent in Japan when the petition wa filed, has only been in the colony five days and has not been served with a copy yet .- Ed. In reply to his Lordship, Mr. Hastings said that notice of this application was given to the defendant. An order had already been made for a special jury. His Lordship accordingly fixed Monday week

the time had expired about three weeks ago.

V. R. C. AQUATIC SPORTS.

There was a very moderate attendance this afternoon, owing to the depressing state of the weather. The band of the rat. Shropshire is still a sound investment. Light Infanity played a selection of popular music during the intervals. The results were as follows :--

FIRST DAY (FRIDAY). 1.-DIVING FOR OBJECTE (two prizes). Hayward, W. Stopaul, and F. Lammert, tied, 6 each; second trial, Hayward (5) winner, Lammest (4) 20d.

2 -- TWO LENGTHS HANDICAP, under 17 (iwo). ist Miller (6 sec.); and A. Alves, nine started. BOYS' RACE, second heat. 1st Obadiah, and Chune. Thirteen started.

3. CHAMPIONSHIP, two lengths, scratch (two) Stopani, Abrahams, Manuk, Hayward, E. Lam. ment and Machado also swam. Time, 661 sec. Abrahams and Frits Lammert that soon the second attempt the latter won. Machado, Hayward, Fredricks, and E. Lammert also dived. The sports were in progress when our reporter

THE DEATH OF A PIONEER OF EASTERN COMMERCE.

IN MEMORIAN CAPTAIN G. T. HOPKINS

At an early hour this morning Captain George T. Hopkins, local agent of the Scottish Oriental Steamship Company and one of the most able and indefatigable coasting skippers that trod the deck of a ship, passed away quietly at his residence in Robins son Road at the ripe see of sixty-six. In the death of this worthy and deservedly popular and respected veteran Hongkong loses one of its oldest, and most useful residents -a man who has done more for his employers and the prosperity of the land of his adoption-than-most-people would-either- Gross Earnings ...... \$4.919.05 believe or imagine.

Coming out here in the carly sixies as

captain of a little bark, he soon found him-

self running between Hongkong and Bangkok under charter to Chinese merchants interested-in the trade of Slam. For a while considerable success attended the venturefor such it was-indeed so successful was he both as a navigator and shipping agent that when the once well-known steamship Danube was in the market for sale it did not require much persuasion on the part of Captain Hopkins to persuade his friends to buy and sun her regularly, in 1879, between Hongkong and the capital of King Chulalongkorn's dominions. As predicted, so the enterprise turned outthorough financial success-and it was soon apparent to the lucky owners of the Danubs that she was too small to meet the requirements of the trade. In the meantime her commander. ever ready and willing to push forward the interests of those who confided in him, had not allowed the grass to grow under his feet, but on the contrary, had drawn plans for a new steamer, after running the Rafanattianuhar for a year or two, destined, as events turned out, t be the pioneer boat of one of the largest coasting companies in the Far East—the Scottish Oriental Steamship Company, Shortly after the first steamer, built by the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company, of the new line arrived here in charge of Captain Hopkins, the Danubs was sold to an American firm, who agent and Marine Superintendent of the and most unhealthy part of the Philippine Company, he had a big hand in the busi- I slands, was to be released in accordance with ness from first to last and to his management dur- instructions received direct from Madrid. As, ing the past eleven years is, in great measure, due | however, several weeks have gone by without the credit for the establishment of a most useful | news of the hapless Doctor's return to Manila and profitable line of steamers in the Far Orient. from Jolo, where he was sent as a prisoner, a irrespective of the part he took in ploneering the Slam trade, Captain Hopkins was connected with the Canadian Pacific and Northern Pacific steamshiplines between Vancouver, Tacoma and: Hongkong, and, it may be added, at the present

flag was Captain W. H. Watton's command, -the Para Nang. A small volume might well be written that our space precludes more than a brief

time three of the Scottish Oriental Co' boats are

running under charter to the Northern Pacific

Company. Indeed, the ploneer boat to cross

the Pacific under the Northern Pacific Company's

The funeral took place this afternoon and was very largely attended by the friends and acquaintances of one of the most independent and genuine men the Far East has ever known.

#### THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report of the Directors to the general meeting of shareholders, to be held at the Company's office, No. 5, Pedder's Hill,

To the Shareholders, the Shameen Hotel and Land Company, Limited.

Gentlemen,-In submitting the Accounts up to the 30th June last, I regret that the favorable prospects of the early portion of the year were not sustained, and that the results of the halfyear's business have on the whole been disappointing. The extraordinary and long continued depression in matters commercial all the world over fully explains the temporary great

falling oil in the Company's business, The gross carnings of the Hotel for the six months under review, as compared with the same period of last year, show a falling off of thirty-six per cent, in the gross returns. This is accounted for by the notable absence of tourists in the Far East; last year the three "Empress "steamers alone contributed over four hundred guests.

The Company's position, as shown by the Balance Sheet annexed, is still hopeful, and although the prospects of a rapidly increasing business, as mentioned in the last report, have yet to be realised, it is confidently anticipated that a very profitable time is immediately before us, owing to the special opportunities offering for Round the World tourists in connection with the World's Fair at Chicago,

The Ice House property, which so far has proved unremunerative, has now been let on fairly advantageous terms to a very reliable tenant for twelve months from the 1st July last, and the revenue of the Company has in conse-(12th September) at 10 a.m., for the hearing of quence been materially increased.

I am glad to be able to state that the Hotel premises are in good repair and that, with the addition of a little more Capital, the absence of which has been severely fell in the Management, to complete the "Annexe" and strengthen our financial position, the Shameen Hotel Company The Accounts speak for themselves.

A new Board of Directors will have to be elected at this meeting, in conformity with the Company's Articles of Association. R. FRASER-SMITH.

Managing Director. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS. From the 1st Jan., 1891, to the 30th June, 1892.

The transfer of the control of the set set of the transfer of Accounts Receivable ..... \$ 5,062.08 Chartered Bank Frank Lammert, 2, Fritz Lammert, 3, W. | Cash in hand (Hongkong and Capton) 327-40 Fixtures and Furniture Stores in Stock (Canton)

Liabilities. Capital .....\$30 540.00 Advance Account, Mortgage on Hotel 10,000 00

\$49,830 79 BHAMMEN HOTEL- ACCOUNT. Charges ..... \$ 171.84 Market Account ...... 1,461.77 Liquors, value consumed ....... Stores, value consumed ....................... 312.94 Wages, Manager and Stoff ...... 1,578.50 Balance to Profit and Loss ..... 981.55 \$4.910 95

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT Office expenses ...... 952 89 Bid debts written off...... Directors' Fee..... Auditor's Fco ..... Takes, Municipal (Canton) LOSUFANCE..... Balance.

Sharneen Hotel-Profit on business .... Transfer Fees \$5 321.65 E. & O. E. Hongkong, 30th June, 1892.

Lhave compared the above Statement with he Books and Vouchers at the Head Office. and have found the same correct. W. HUTTON POTTS.

Auditor.

THE RIZAL INCIDENT THE CAPTAIN-GENERAL OF THE PHILIPPIN

explains. Fully a month has now elepsed since intelligence was received here from Manila to the member of our staff was yesterday instructed to interview Senhor Ortiz de Zugasti, the courteous and obliging Spanish Consul at this port, with a view to ascertaining, if possible, whether there was, as far as he knew, any truth in the report and whether the alleged victim of priestly

persecution had yet been liberated. The Consul, who received our representative in his wonted genial manner, was by no means reluctant to speak on the subject; in fact has courted rather than otherwise, a quiet discussion and said that he, as the local representative of about Captain Hopkins, and we regret the Captain-General of the Philippines, was authorised to make a statement of the case with reference to a life that was as honourable as it | a view to having the truth set before the public. was distinguished and useful. In his latter years | The question-" Have you received any conhe was the victim of an unscrupulous scoun- firmation of the report that Dr. Rizal has drel who defrauded him of the earnings of a been liberated in accordance with telegraphic long life of hard work, and this catastrophe no | instructions from Madrid ?" was put to the The method of making the test is to take one by this time to have known better than to chuck | doubt hastened the end .- For the past year his | Consul and elicited the answer-"No, -- I and a helf tons of coal, and heat the water in away fifty cents per week of your hard-earned case was practically hopeless, and after lingering have no news on the subject. I doubt that such on for months he quietly passed away this a telegram was ever forwarded from Madrid to Manila, and I don't think the telegram you published was correct. It seems highly impro-

> bable." Then Seffor Ords wout on to say that the present Captain-General of the Philippines was a most liberal-minded man-which we have every reason to (believe-a personal friend-of his own and a thorough gentleman, who pardoned the whole of the R'sal family in response to repeated and earnest appeals for clemency from Dr. Rizal. The Captain-General did not approve of Rizal's scheme to remove his relatives and friends from the Philippines to Borneo, for the reason that the population of the on Monday, 19th September, 1891, at 4 o'clock former is far too sparse to suffice for the proper dul:Ivation of the soil, which is capable of producing ten times the crops now salsed. He and his advisers therefore regarded Rizal's scheme as anything but patriotic and decidedly objectionable, and they notified the Doctor to that effect. Nevertheless they decided to grant the pardon asked for, in the hope that he would show his gratitude by abandoning the scheme is toto and settling down peaceably on his own property, surrounded by the members of his family who had been exited by the previous Governor of the felands

> > "Now," said the Consul, " as to the

arrest of Rigal and the report of it that appeared in the Telegraph in July last 1 In the first place I have to tell you that your report is incorrect and was probably gathered from one or two Portuguese who know very little about the true facts of the case. Rizal came to me a few days before going to Manila: to receive a diploma granted in his: favour by the Madrid College of Surgeons. On that occasion he expressed his gratitude for the kindpess of the Captain-General, and asked meto prepare his passport in order that he might return to Manila by an early steamer. I propared passports for him; and for a sister he took with him; and he called a day or two later to take the documents and bid me cordial adieu. Upon arrival in Manila he was allowed perfect freedom and was: entertained by his friends and relatives just as: he pleased, and he would be as free as you are to-day had he not been so ill-advised as to conceal in one of his sister's boxes several of the very pamphlets, or leaflets, which had caused him so much trouble some three years ago. Now. Risal knew yery well that such literature is not allowed in the Philippines, and it was very wrong of him to attempt to re-introduce it. He defended himself by saying that he pamphlete were found in his sister's baggage and that he did not know she had taken them. with her when leaving Hongkong. That was a very lame excuse indeed, and not a very manly one either. After being granted a free pardon it was a very ungrateful act on his part to stlempt to smuggle such literature into the distance. Such literature is not allowed in the Philippines, because the masses, are very ignorant for the most part and very excitable. and if once their heads are filled with ideas of which they fall to grasp the full purport there is the danger that they will become excited and difficult to control. Anyhow, Dr. Rizal knew ho had no right to take such literature to Manils. He should have rested satisfied with his pardon. proceeded to his estates and gathered his family round him there and tried to improve the district generally. Had he done so all would have your wall with him. As to your allegation that the Archbishop was the direct cause of Rizal's arrest; I may inform you that at the time of the Doctor's return to Manila the Archbishop was on tour through his diocese s and was away from the capital fully three

authorities have ordered Rizal's release. He is, Captain Mayer. I believe, in Joid-in the South."

"Thank you for such a full explanation, which most happy to publish any statement on the In the Volga district, but is increasing in the Don subject which bie Excellency the Captain- territory. The disease is further advanced in General may see fit to forward to him through | Central Russia. Wau " said-the interviewer.

In reply the Consul said- "You can publish what I have said as a statement by his The Caar, according to the new arrangements, Excellency, for I, helng his representative here. am in a position to make a statement for him." will distribute the ministerial parifolios himself thanking Seffer Ortiz for the courteous reception accorded him.

#### LATE TELEGRAMS

exchanges were crowded out of last night's | work on the canal,

I ONDON, August 1st. -The formal investiture of Archhishon Vaughan investiture of the kind that has taken piece in London since Cardinal Pole was invested in the reign of Ouren Mary.

he was satisfied with the progress toward reday in his bedroom. He is permitted, however, to receive colleagues on urgent business. A petition has been filed against the return

of Ballour as member of Parliament for the east division of Manchester, on the ground that bribery was resorted to in the election. PARIS. Angust 18t.

The returns of the triennist elections held in the provinces of France yesterday for Councilors. General, received from 1132 districts, show a Republican gain of 110. Additional returns, bringing the total

977 Republicans and 217 Conservatives, a. gain for the former of the seats." Several morning papers report that an attempt several buildings in Versailles. So far, diligent

inquiry fails to confirm the rumor. ST. PETERSBURG, August 1st. Cholera has made its appearance in the prison | went much further in his present policy. of Tornak, capital of the government of that name in Western Siberia. Already ten cases and eight deaths, have been reported by the prison authorities.

BERLIN, August 1st... The political speech made by Prince Bismarck in Jena yesterday is being freely criticised in this city. The Tageblatt, commenting on the remarks of the ex-Chanceller, says: "It is in every way the most notable utterance he has | to-day. given voice to since he quit office. In demanding that the convictions of the people be considered more important than the will of the monarch. which an absolutist caprice renders impossible, Prince Bismarck must have meant the introducagainst the former Bismarck."

TORONTO, August 1st. . Sir John T. Simpson leaves town to-day and It is removed that he will make an unannounced wisit to Washington to endeavor to : secure ' & pledge from the President that he will not issue his proclamation until an opportunity has been given the Canadian Government to hear from

HALIYAX (N. S.), August 1st. bond, having come from China via the Pacific and across the continent. They are booked for | kroner. Havana and will work on the plantations. HAMBURG, August 18t.

· Luchmann's iron foundry has been destroyed by fire. Loss, 1,000,000 marks. LONDON, August 20d.

A dispatch to the Times from Calcutta says that three detechmients of Russian troops have occupied the Pamir region as far down as Hindo Konsh, holding the country from which Colonel Yanoff of the Russian army tetired last year. . The news has excited considerable interests and it is believed that this sudden activity is due

to the success of Mr. Gladetone In the elections and the con iction at St. Petersburg that he will Russian ageression.

The aggression of the Russians has caused much stir in the Foreign Office, and it is said that Lord Salisbury is actively engaged upon the matter.

. The chief sufferers by the present Russian aggression are China and Afghanistan. China is, perhaps, the larger loser, and her history in Central Asia shows that there is no part of her empire in regard to which she is more sensitive ! than that in Central Asia, or for the retention of which she is more willing to persistently fight.

Afghanisian will also be a considerable loser and here the obligations of Great Britain come into play. The Russians are practically trying to-substitute the southern headwaters of the Oxus for the more northern one agreed to as the demarcating line in 1873, and to inclose the immense-tract-intervening-between-the two rivers.

To this great absorption of territory, chiefly at the expense of Chins, they have added a further encroachment on Afghanistan by drawing a geographical line across Badakhahan and cisiming as their own the territory which lies north of it up to the line of the Oxus sgreed to in 1873. It is scarcely necessary to repeat that wholesale annexation of this sort cannot be permitted.

by Chine, Afghanistan or by England. Gladstone, in a circular to his Parliamentary supporters, urges them to attend the election for Speaker of the House of Commons on Thursday. and especially urges all to be present on Monday next, when the address is moved in reply to the forest fires are raging in different parts of the Kicker because it-did not satisfy him as a

Gladstone is so much improved to-day that the has arisen and is with his secretary in the

Government will object to Michael Davitt taking a seat in the House of Commons on the ground that he has not completed the full term of his sentence on a criminal charge.

The Chronicia's St. Petersburg correspondent learns that over co,000 persons died of cholers in the Russian Caucasus in July.

A dispatch to the Times from Teheran, Persia, lime allowance. says: Medical reports show that 5000 persons died of cholera in Meshed during June and July, being thirty per cent of the number of

persons attacked. The Earl of Bathurst is dead. He was born in 1832 and succeeded his uncle as sixth Earl on February 24, 1878,

The petition of Prince Louis Clovis Bonaparte to declare null the marriage contracted by him. making the trip across the Atlantic in 5 days 18 in the Isla of Man on the ground that the hours and 40 minutes. On August 1st the versel respondent, Mrs. Megons, had a husband living at the time of her marriage to him, has been

PARIE, August 28d. The Marquis de Mores was to-day estalgaed da a charge of manulaughter. After his

months. It was therefore impossible for him to stand trial. Four friends of the principals, city and tried to cross the province of Syrdaria to have had any say in the matter. Again, who acted as seconds, were also committed, into Ferghans, but were repulsed by local troops. say, I don't believe that the Madrid charged with being accessories to the killing of The insurrection has spread to Ferghama and

ST. PETERSRURG, August and. It is again reported that the cholera has I will report to my chief who, I feel sure, will be appeared in Moscow. The epidemic is decreasing | Pamir.

An important change is impending in the method of conducting the Central Government. will appoint directly the Minister President, who And then our representative withdrew after and will be alone responsible to the Czar. M Abagor Assas will probably be the first President. appointed.

PANAMA. August 2nd. A telegraphic dispatch has been received here saying that the directors have signed a conven- inhabitants. tion with a syndicated headed by the vice-pres-The following telegrams from our various litent of the Chamber of Commerce to fidish the

BERLIN, August and. Caprivi has made a bold attempt to destroy Bismarck, to discredit Count Waldersee and to of Westminster took piece in the cathedral to- retain imperial favor. He has, it would appear, day. The pollium used in the ceremony was failed signally and now, instead of leading an brought to this city from Rome about a week attack on the chief foe, he is engaged in defendago by Montignor Stonor. This is the first | ing his own place, a task which may prove too

No sconer had the Emperor returned from his Norwegian trip than the Chanceller renewed his | anti-Parnellites, to the House of Commons from Gladstone passed a good night; Sir Andrew assault on Bismarck and Waldersee. He now the north and south divisions of Meath Clark, his physician, called upon him at mon seems to hate the latter as fiercely as he does respectively. This action is taken on the ground to-day. To a reporter the physician stated that | the ex-Chancellor. Recalling the success of his | that their election was brought about by undue former efforts be presented his master with ancovery, but that Gladstone was not yet entirely other bundle of over 300 hostile newspapers rid of his cold and must spend at least another articles, clipped chiefly from the foreign press and including various extracts from the Herald. I to-day, being beaten in the race for the Squadron These articles were accompanied by an elaborate report which, it was hoped, would convince the Emperor of the maliguity and baseness of the two men to whom the inspiration of the criticisms In the papers were attributed by the Charicellor.

I understand that Caprivi, who was laboring under considerable excitement at the time. took special pains to direct attention to the attacks which were more particularly aimed at the Emperor, and endeavored to convince his majesty of the necessity of vigorous action. The districts reported to 1284, show the election of Emperor was advised by the Chancellor to have recourse to legal measures and stop the press war which had been raging for weeks.

Thanks to the intervention of a more temwas made last night, to blow up with dynamite perate counselor, perhaps Count Philip Eulenburg, his majesty declined to take Caprivi's advice and the latter was brought to understand flowing down the mountain sides, but the subthat public epinion would not be with him if he terranean rumblings and discharge of ashes

The Vossische Zeitung asserts that the Minister of the Interior, Herr Furth, will soon resign his particlio in consequence of differences between himself and Dr. Miquel, Minister of Finance. It is also said that Von Feulenberg, president of the Prussian Ministry, will succeed.

The trial of Rudolph Jacque, who embezzled 1,700,000 marks from the Rothschilds, began

VIENNA, August 2nd. The Neue Freie Presse publishes the details | and it was not Davis's right eye, but his les of a scheme, elaborated by Professor Socibeer. which was left sparkling in the sawdust after the to harmonize the monetary systems of the fight was over. It has always been the policy world. The professor recommends that the com- of the Kicker to state facts and facts only. tion of a Parliamentary regime, although he did ling international monetary conference agree that | Being-satisfied that we did Mr. Jordon an not use those exact words. Against the new no gold coin containing less than 2,8065 grams injustice in our statement we hereby make the Bismarck the Liberals will have less to say than of five gold be sliewed to be coined or circulated amende honourable, as the New York dailies in the contracting countries; that silver be call it. Mr. Jordon not only subscribed for the coined in the proportion of twenty value units of Kicker, paying a year in advance, but his silver to one of gold; that silver be legal tender | attractive advertisement will be found under the up to \$20, and that silver coins not of a fixed | head of "Saloons" on another page. standard of purity be withdrawn from circulation. Professor Soelbeer considers that everything depends upon the attitude of Great Britain;

BRUSSELS, August 2nd. the frauds perpetrated by Henry B. Ryder, | hold the town. In just thirteen seconds after Nineteen Chinese arrived here yesterday in United States Consul at Copenhagen, who is i receiving the message his Honour had buckled now under arrest there, amount to 200,000 two revolvers shout his waist and was at the

Government, the United States authorities have I mule and clattered out of town without firing a cabled to the officials at Copenhagen to proceed shot. His Honour got two shots at the flying with the case and prove the allegations against coward, one of which passed through his hat, the Consul and render judgment in the case in but he got away unhuit, and people who met accordance with Danish law. It is said Consul | bire seven miles on say that he was still on the Ryder and his wife have been very extravagent, gallop. The Clinch Valley chaps might as well

into Tacoma to-day to establish a house to trade | with one war whoop, but things have changed. with China over the new Northern Pacific Rail- The present Mayor (who is ourself) doesn't scare road transpacific steamship line. The laboring | and he is bound to run the town on the law and men of the city have been greatly agitated over order principle if it necessitates adding ten more the proposition to admit Chinese merchants | scren to the gravey-rd. not be an active an Lord Salisbury in obstructing | since it was first made several weeks age, and an exciting mass meeting was held on the street at which there was great disorder and Mayor Incheage it to deliver his worl !- renowned lecture Husen, Judge Parsons and other prominent pro- on "The Past and Future of Egypt," we frankly Chinese speakers were almost hooted from the fold him that our people would be disappointed. stand by the laboring men, who were in a large | When he approached us as editor of the "Kicker" | NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDImajority in the audience. The Mayor has since we told him the same thing. When he came declared that he would extend all the law and in us as Mayor for the licence we relterated SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Compower at his command to protect the lives and our former observations, but he was self- pany will be held in the COMPANY'S OFFICE. property of the Chinese should they be brought willed and obstinate. He got out his paper No. 5, Pedder's Hill, Hongkong, on MONDAY.

the arrival of the Chinese, although their pre- of mummies and a boxing match as a wind-up. tor's Report and a Statement of Account of the sence was known to them. The laboring men, Some even figured, just as we had informed him | Company's business to goth June, and electing however, it is believed, will be informed of their they would, that he would pass around a bottle arrival to-night, and the situation is considered of budge, 6,000 or 7,000 years old-something rather doubtful and threatening. Laboring men | dug out from under one of the pyramids. We. though not exactly organized for the purpose, do not know where the professor is located at Company's Articles of Association, which reads are supposed to have leaders, and it is thought this time. After the boys had got through that an attempt will be made to expel the Chie tossing him in a blanket he disappeared in ness as happened several years ago. These the direction of Poko Mountain, and perhaps three are the first Chinese that have dared to | he is still moving. We would tell all others come into the city since.

attempt will be made late to-night to run out the almost anything connected with the United Chinese, and trouble is feared. The State militia | States, from the discovery by Columbus to the of the city has been prepared for several days to Investigation by the Pension Department, but turn out on very short notice if necessary, and we don't go a cent on anything over goo years the protection of the police force will also be old happening in a foreign country. We haven't given to the Chinese,

ALGIERS, August and. A strong strocco provalls throughout Algeria. The heat has reached 106 Fahrenheit in the article informing the public that Capt. Bill Henshade, and a severe drought is threatened. Many derson had stopped his subscription to the

for the purpose of sailing his yacht Meleor in him up. He wasn't five minutes in deciding to The News says it understands that the the race to-day. At so o'clock the contest for continue on as a paying subscriber. We don't the Queen's Cup began. The yachts made a deny that any one has a legal right to stop his COAL MERCHANTS, SHIP'S COMPRAflying start. The Metter was the first to cross copy of the Kicker any time he so elects, but in the line. The wind was light.

Soon after the start the Metter took the lead, an explanation. which she held over the entire course. The

LONDON, August 3rd. gradual abelition of seven archbishoprics and seventeen bishoprics of Franco as the sees become vacant.

NEW YORK, August 3rd. The steamship Toutoute arrived this morning. was compelled to slow down three hours, owing to the log. The best run in one day was 528 miles, ending at noon yesterday, This beats the record for a single day's run. ST. PETERIBURO, August 3rd.

After the surression of the riots in Tankend

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the position of the Russians there is critical, as they do not possess sufficient men to cope with the insurgents, part of their force having gone to

It has been learned that the Tashkend riots were not due solely to cholers, but that they were partly due to religious excitement caused by orders from the Governor latertering with the

rites in the mosques. One death has occurred here from Asiatic cholers. At Nijni-Novgorod the disease is decreasing, and many workmen who fled in fright are returning.

Cholera has appeared in the government of Kurek, in the southern part of European Russia It is the most densely populated of any government in Russia, having about 2,000,000 The epidemic continues to increase in Asiatic

Russia. In Toholsk fifty-nine new cases and thirty-nine deaths were reported on August 1st. In consequence of the cholers in Russia the schools are all closed till September. Medical students will be sent to the infected districts to help fight the disease.

DUBLIN. August 3rd. At a meeting of leading members of the Parnellite party to-day it was agreed that a petition should be issued protesting against the return of Michael Davitt and Patrick Fullam. influence exercised by priests over the electors.

COWES, August 3rd. Finteror William's yacht again suffered defeat prizes by the Iverna. In the race for the Australian cup Prince Henry's yacht, the Irene, was beaten by the Queen Mab.

BERLIN, August 3rd. An explosion in a shed containing dynamite at the powder factory at Hoherlehne, near Koenigawus, killed three persons and did great damage to buildings. The killed were blown cearly to pieces. OTTAWA (Ont.), August 3rd.

The Minister of the Interior, has given orders for the vaccination of all children and others on the Indian reserves this of the Rocky mountains. CATANIA, August 3rd. The eruption of Mount Etns diminished somewhat Monday, but yesterday there were signs of renewed activity. Fresh streams of lava are.

#### THE ARIZONA RICKER.

from the craters are less violent.

In our last issue we stated that Tom Jordon. proprietor of the Bald Esglesaloon, had to leave Montana for gouging Bill White's right eve out in a saloon row. Mr. Jordon called at the office next day and brought abundance of proof that we were mistaken. It was not with Bill White, but with Jim Davis, that he had a row.

Monday morning, while his Honour the Mayor (who is ourself) was transacting official business. In-his-room-at-the-city-hall, a Clinch-Valleycowboy named for Scott sent in word that he The Independence Beige of this city says that | was on the public square prepared to take and font of the stairs. His prompt response to In response to a telegram from the Danish the defiance rattled Scott, who put spurs to his TACOMA (Wash), August and. quit their bluffing and knock under. They Three Chinese merchants were quietly slipped | could scare the former Mayor out of his boots

When Professor Wentworth Foster came to us as the owner of the only hall in town and wanted and went, a ead. The hoys crowded the hall the 19th day of September, 1892, at 4 P.M., for The afternoon papers made no mention of at a quarter a head, anticipating an exhibition; the purpose of receiving the Managing Direcof his ilk, however, that this is a plain town, It is anticipated in certain quarters that an full of plain people. We like to hear of got any pyramids around here and don't want any, and we run to the mule instead of the camel

Our contemporary is out with a scare head newspaper. Our contemporary is off his base, Cowes, August and. | as usual. We heard that the Captain had said Emperor William arose early this morning he should do so, and we spent half a day looking every instance we shall look him up and demand

Corsofr, however, which crossed the finishing | DEAFNESS ABSOLUTELY CURED,-A Gentleman line second, was declared the winner on the who cured himself of Deafness and Noises in the Head, of 14 years standing, by a new method, will be pleased to send, full particulars free. The Chronicle's Paris correspondent says, the Address HERBERT CLIFTON, 8, Shepherd's place, committee on the Concord at recommends the Kennington Park, London, S.E., Eng. -[Advi.

### To-dan's Advertisements.

XITH the exception of Final Heats TUG-TVV OF-WAR, the GYMXHAMA is POST-PONED till BATURDAY, the 24th festant Capt A. H. THOMAS, Hoa. Sec., Gyrakagus. Houghour ind Bertember, 1875.

#### ग्रावन्वता) इ Annertisements.

"SHIRE "LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA THE Steamship

"CARMARTHENSHIRE." Captain Clarke, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 5th instant, at Noon. For Freight or Possage, apply to

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All claims against the Steamest must be presented to the Undersigned on or hefore the 9th Instant, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the oth instant.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, and September, 1892,

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACT. NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are required for creeting a NEW ROYAL ENGINEERS STORE and WORKS in connection therewith at evil C BLOCK, Queen's Road Barracks, in the Hong- NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS

kong District. Persons desiring to Tender for the execution of these works mu t leave their names with the Surveyor, at the Raval Engineers Office, Queen's Road East on or before the 9th day of Sept. 1802, for Specification and Bills of Quantities, which with Form of Tender, will be issued to each candidate.

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Colonel on the Staff. Commanding Royal Engineers, China. Hongkong, 30th August, 1892.

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"No person not a retiring Director shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he, or some other member intending to propose him, has at least seven clear days before the meeting left at the Office of the Company a notice in writing under his hand signifying his candidature for the office or the intention of such member to propose him."

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the and to the 16th inst. inclusive. By Order of the Managing Director.

R. C. HURLEY, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, and September, 1892.

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The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits Ld.— Founders' shares, £18 buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-21 per cent. premium, sellers.

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Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited -45 per cent, discount, sellers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$36 per share, The Steam Launch Co., Limited-par, nominal.

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\$7 per share, sellers)" The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited-\$55, sales and buyers.

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE PRENCH MAIL The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer Sydney, with the French mail of the 5th ultimo, left Singapore on the 30th at 10 p.m., and may be expected here on the 6th instant.

THE AMERICAN MAILS. The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Oceanic, with malls, &c., left San Francisco for this port, wie Honolulu and Yokohams, on the 16th ultimo. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio de Janetro, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama on the 27t ultimo.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL: The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer. Manmadr, from Sydney, left Port Darwin on the 30th alto., and may be expected on the 8th instant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. " The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer Empress of Fapan left Vancouver on the 318t ultimo for Yokohama, Kobe, Shanghai, and

#### STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer Devawongse, from Tacoms, left Yokohama on the and instant, and is due here on the oth. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Malacca left Bombay on the 23rd ultime, and may be The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Thibst left

Bombay on the 27th ultime, and may be expected here on the 13th instant. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Bombay left London for this port on the arst ultime.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Means, Geo. Falcour & Co.'s Register,) Today.

Thermometer-1 p.m. Thermometer—4 p.m. Thermometer—Maximum

# Shipping.

WARRIOR, British ship, 1,687, Kitchin, 1st September. - Cardiff, via Macassar ast July, Coal,-Order.

-Ask, Danish steamer, 682, Revsbeck, 1st Sept.,-Halphong 30th August, and Holhow 31st, Rice and Pigs,-A. R. Marty. KWANGLEE, Chinese steamer, 1,504, R. L. Lincoln, and Sept.,-Canton and September,

General.-C. M. S. N. Co. NINGPO, German steamer, 762, R. Köhler, 2nd September,-Canton and Sept., General.-Siemssen & Co.

YUENSANG, British steamer, 1,105, J. Slessar, and Sept.,-Chinklang, via Wuhu 28th August Rice and Wheat .- Jardine, Matheson & Co. CARMARTHENSHIRE, British steamer, 1,776, A Clark, and Sept.,-London 25th July, and Singapore 27th August, General.—Dodwell,

Carlill & Co. TAKSANG, British steamer, 977, Freeman, 2nd Sept. - Salgon 29th August, General and Rice.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

and September,-Probolingo 23rd August, Sugar,-Order. RMIDA, Italian steamer, 1,499, F. Susini and Sept.,-Bombay 15th August, and

Singapore 27th, General.—Carlowitz & Co. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Cheangchew, British steamer, for Amoy. Eugenie, Norwexian steamer, for Iloilo. Cosmopolit, German steamer, for Halphong. Glenavon, British steamer, for Singapore, &c.

DEPARTURES.

September 2, Triumph, German steamer, .for Holhow, &c. September 2, Moyune, British steamer, for Shanghal,

September 2, Lannox, British steamer, for Moji. September 2, Sterling, American ship, for New Aurona, British bark, 295, O. Wagner, 17th-September 2, Namos, British steamer, for Swatow, ecc.

September 2, Donar, German str., for Salgon;

September 2, Glenavon; British steamer, for Sin-September 2, Cheangchew; British !steamer, for

PASSENGERS—ARRIVED. Per Carmarikanshire, str., from Singapore,-26 Chinese. Per Taksang, str., from Saigon,-160 Chinese.

Per Ask, str., from Halphong, &c. - 30 Chinese. Per Yuensang, str., from Chinking, &c .-- 5 Per Bormida, str. from Bombay, Scc.-Mr. Goggi, and 45 Chinese. The British ship Warrior reports that she left

Cardiff, and Macassar on the 1st July. Had light wind and squally weather. The Italian steamship Bormida reports that she left Bombay on the 15th ultimo, and Singapore on the 27th. Had moderate monsoon, left Halphong on the 30th ultimo, and Holhow on the 31st. Had north-north-cast to cast-northeast winds with heavy rain.

The British steamship Carmarthenskire reports that she left London on the 25th July. and Singapore on the 27th ultimo. Had fine Weather from Singapore to port.
The British steamship Taksang reports that

she left Saigon on the 29th ultimo. Had unsettled weather throughout, and heavy squalls of thunder, and lightning, with rain and moderate sea with south-west wind prevailing, and the latter part beavy south-westerly swell. The British steamship Yuensang reports that

she left Chinkleng, via Wuhu on the 28th ultimo. Had light and moderate southerly wind with showers of rain. On the 29th ultime passed the steamship Fooksang off Gutzlaff, and the same day passed the steamships Victoria and Vangching off Bonham.

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A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Bangkok .- Per Phra Chula Chem Klas to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Straits and Bombay. Per Lemberdy to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 11,30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Tameni.—Per Folden to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 1.30 P.M. For Kudat and Sandakan,-Per Memnen to- Saura CRUZ, British schooner, 92, H. Bande, morrow, the ard instant, at 2:30 P.M. For Shanghal Per Kwangles to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 3.30 7.M. For Shanghal Per Ninggo to-morrow, the

3td instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Halphong .-- Per Ask to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 5 P.M. For Shanghal-Per Thisbs to-morrow, the 3td instant, at 5 P.M. For Nagaraki and Kobe Per Talyway on Monday, the 1th Instant at 5 7.16.

For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta-Per Wingsang on Tuesday, the 6th instant, at 11.30

For Yokohama & San Francisco,-Per Pers on Thursday, the 8th instant, at 5 P.M. For Singapore.—Per Solatiga on Thursday, the 8th/instant, at 3.30 P.M.
For Straits and London.—Per Adea on Fri-

day, the 9th instant, at 21.30 A.M. For Europe, &c., &c.—Per Bayers on Saturday, the 17th instant, at 5 P.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ARCOMA, British steamer, 1,888, W., D. Mudie, 20th August,—from Yokohama, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. AZAGAO, Japanese steamer, 1,521, H. Selck,

1st Sept.,—Nagasaki 27th August, Coals.— Mitsu Bishi Colliery. BATAVIA, British steamer, 1,661, J. R. Hill, 12th August,-Tacoma 14th July, General,-Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

COSMOFOLIT, German steamer, 557, W. T. Schafer, 20th August,-Touron 17th Aug. General -- Wieler & Co. EMPRESS OF INDIA, British steamer, 3,003. O.

P. Marshall, R.N.R., 29th August,-Van-couver 7th, Yokohama 22nd, Kobe 23rd, and Shanghai 27th, General.-Canadian Pacific Railway Co. S-SANO, British steamer, 1,127, G. Payne, 1st

Sept.,—Mojl (Japan), 27th August, Coals.— Jardine, Matheson & Co. EUGENIE, Norwegian steamer, 1,800, L. W. Hansen, 31st August,-Batoum 13th July, Petroleum.-Order.

FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain McIsaac, -Hongkong Government tender. FORIEN, British steamer, 500, W. Davis, 1st Sept.,-Tamsul 27th August, Amoy 30th,

and Swatow 31st, General-D. Lapraik HAILOONG, Biltish steamer, 783, T. P. Hall, 25th August,-Timsul 21st August, Amoy 23rd, and Swatow 24th, General, D. La-

LOMBARDY, British steamer, 1,570, Francis Cole, 20th August,-Bombay 10th August, and Singapore 23rd, General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. LOO SOK, British steamer, 1,020, V. Perkes, 27th August,-Tacoma 26th July, Victoria 28th, floral festivals being of daily occurrence are to be seen at their best and on a grander scale than Yokohama 17th August, Kobe 21st, and Moji sand, General and Coals, Dodwell, head-quarters.

Carlill & Co. MEMNON, British steamer, 826, B. Branch, 28th August, -- Sandakan 23rd August, Timber, Rattan, and General.—Butterfield & Swire. MICHARI. JEBSEN, German steamer, 710, J Mathlessen, 31st August,-Macao 31st August, General.-Wieler & Co.

MONGKUT, British steamer, 869, H. Deans, 1st Sept.,-Bangkok 24th August, General. -Yuen Fat Hong. OORIYA, British steamer, 419, J. M. Daly, 23rd

May, Singapore 16th May, General.— Butterfield & Swire. PERU, British Isteamer, 2,540, W. Ward, a8th August, -- San Francisco 4th August, and Yokohama 22nd, Mails and General .--P. M. S. S. Co.

PERA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,012, J. A. Morris, 28th August-Bangkok 20th August, and Koh-si-chang 22nd, Rice and General.-Yuen Fat Hong. Prior Fish, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani.

-Hongkong and Whampos Dock Co. G. JACOB, Dutch steamer, v. sor. de Blindle. Sikit, British steamer, 1,736, Rowley, 25th August, -Kutchinotsu 14th August, Coals. -

TAI-YUAN, British steamer, 1,459, R. Nelson, R.N.R., 29th August,-Sydney 10th Aug., Coals and General.—Butterfield & Swire. THISBE, Austrian steamer, 1,789, F. Kossovich, ist Sept., - Trieste, and Singapore (6th August, General.—D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Wingsang, British steamer, 1,517, A. de St. Croix, 30th August,-Calcutta 24th August, Penang 20th, and Singapore 24th, General.

-Jardine, Matheson & Co. WUOTAN, German steamer, 1,016, A. Ott, 1st Sept.,-Swatow 31st August, General.-..Wieler & Co. ZAMBESI, British steamer, 1,650, Edwards, 8th May,-Victoria, B.C., via Honolulu and

SAILING VESSELS.

August,-Bangkok, wia Coast Ports 27th June, Timber. - Chinese, .. BRILL OF BATH, American ship, 1,347, F. M. Blethen, 27th June,-New York 8th March. Petroleum.-Jardice, Matheson & Co.

BYLCIA, German bank, 333, Plager, 1st Sept.,— Amoy 27th August, Ballast.—Wieler & Co. CAMBUSDOON, British bark, 1,200, B. L. Carland, 20th August,—New York 16th April, Kerosene Oil.—Order. CARL FRIEDRICH, German ship, 2,208, M. Haak, and July,-New York 13th March, Kero-

sine Oil.—Reuter, Brockelmann & Co. CONSTANCE, British ship, 1,506, Lingley, 18th August,-New York 12th August, Petroleum. EIRE, German ship, 1,375, H. Bremers, 15th August,—New York 3rd April, Petroleum.—

s: Arnbold, Karberg & Co. EELECENIC, Chinese bark, 457, OptumExamination hulk, Stonecutter's Island,-Chinese . Customs.

FLORENCE TREAT, British back, 724, A. C. Paulsen, 24th August,-Singapore 5th Aug. Timber. - Order. The Danish steamship Ask reports that she Hanskich, German barque, 923, Henne, 22nd July,-Singapore 10th July, Timber,-

ISAAC REED, American ship, 7,489, F. D. Waldo, 14th August,-New York 4th April, Kerosene Oil.-Reuter, Brockelmann & Co. J. D. BISCHOFF, German ship, 1.408, H. Meyer, atet July,-Sydney via Singapore 30th a April, Coal.-Melchers & Co.

OHN McLEOD, British ship, 1,595, Henderson oth June,-from Pratas Reef, Ballast. ' Captain, KINGDOM OF SAXONY, British barque, 53

Brown, 14th August,—Shanghai 13th July, Ballast,—Jardine, Matheson & Co. Kirry, British bark, 803, Harry Wilson, 25th July,-Halphong 18th July, Ballast .--Master.

LEVUEA-British bank, 1;425; Trevis, 20th, Aug. -Sharighai 17th July, General -- Carlowitz & Co.

MARABOUT, British ship, 1.445, Ferguson, 18th August .- New York 8th April, Kerosens Oil. -W: Hewett & Co. NAM-SHUM-SHING, Chinese schooner, 300, Luk

Lai-tong, 24th August, -Yee-on 11th Aug. Timber. Yung Kee. ORIENTE, Italian bark, 1,534, M. Moresen-17th August,-New York 2nd May, Petroleum. Order.

RICHARD PARSOMS, American bark, 1;216, W. F. Thorndike, 20th August,-Shanghal 20th -July, Ballast.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 22nd August -- Yep, Carolina Islands, 25th

July, Coals. - Wieler & Co. STERRA MIRANDA, British ship, 1,808, A. M. Master .- 3rd .- August .- Cardiff .- 3rd . May .. Coal-Order. VELOCITY, British bark, 498, R. Mertin, 14th August,-Honolulu 15th June, General.

WILLIAM LE LACHEUR, British bark, Roynell, 20th August,-Philippines 11th August, Timber, Cibb, Livingston & Co.

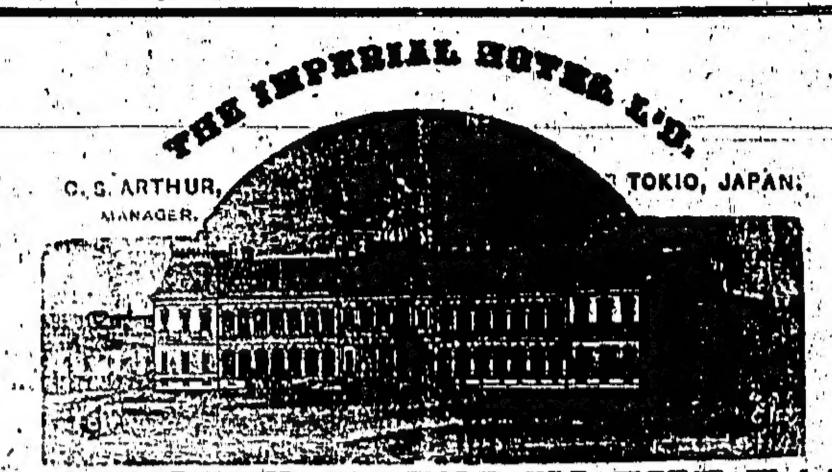
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